

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph on page 1, lines 10-13 with the following:

This application is related to application Serial No. ~~XXXX~~ 10/761,068, titled "Reconnection of Wireless Calls to Mobile Units in Border Cells," filed concurrently with the present application, assigned to the assignee of the present invention and incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.

Please replace the paragraph on page 12, lines 3-16 with the following:

If at step 412 a record of the suspended communication is not found, the recipient MSC at step 414 queries border MSC(s) for a record of the suspended communication. For example, the recipient network MSC may not have a record of the suspended communication if the mobile unit roamed into the coverage area of the recipient MSC during the service interruption but a different MSC controlled the call before the service interruption. In such case, the recipient MSC queries its border MSC(s) at step 414 in attempt to find the MSC that originally controlled the call (and hence, to find a record of the suspended communication) to support reconnection of the call. Generally, if a record of suspended communication is retrieved from a border MSC before the wait timer is expired, the recipient MSC may use the information obtained from the record at step 416 to support reconnection of the mobile unit. The feature of reconnecting calls to mobile units having roamed between different MSCs during the call suspension is the subject of related application Serial No. ~~XXXX~~ 10/761,068.